# Chapter 127: Wave of Gold

SFX: wind on leaves

THE EARS OF RICE ARE SO...
AAH... WONDERFUL.

AH...

DAD...
MINORU!

FATHER...? WHAT ARE YOU... DOING HERE...
YOU'VE ACCOMPLISHED A LOT. I'D GIVE YOU A PASSING MARK.

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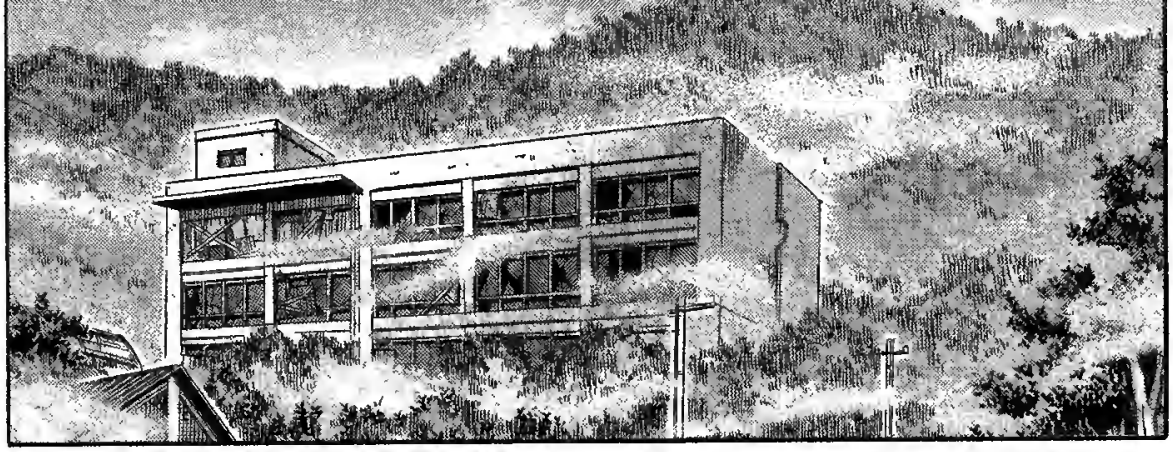
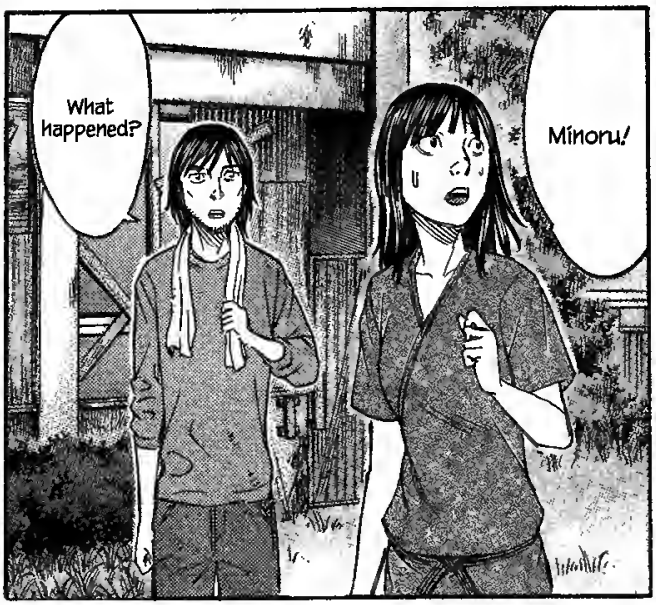
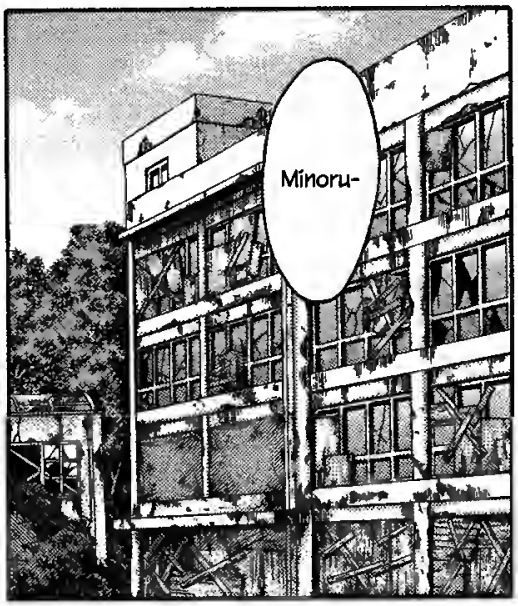
Fa... ther...

A dream...
SFX: nocturnal insects



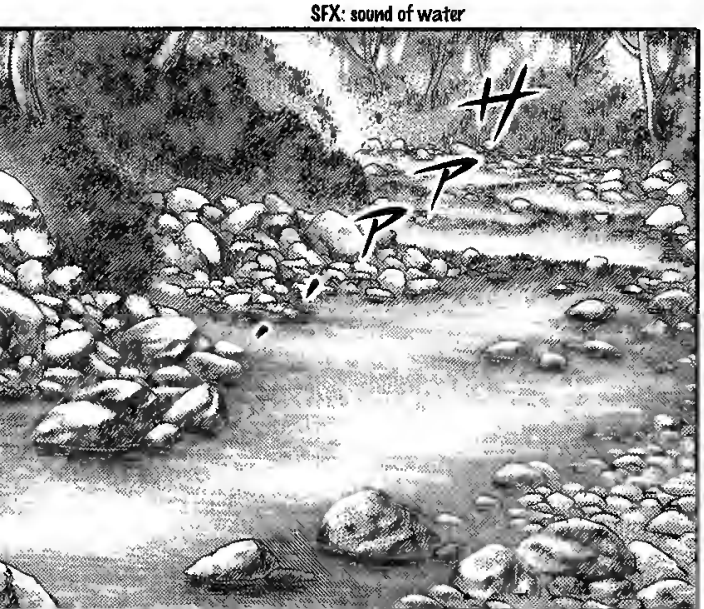

What happened?
Minoru!

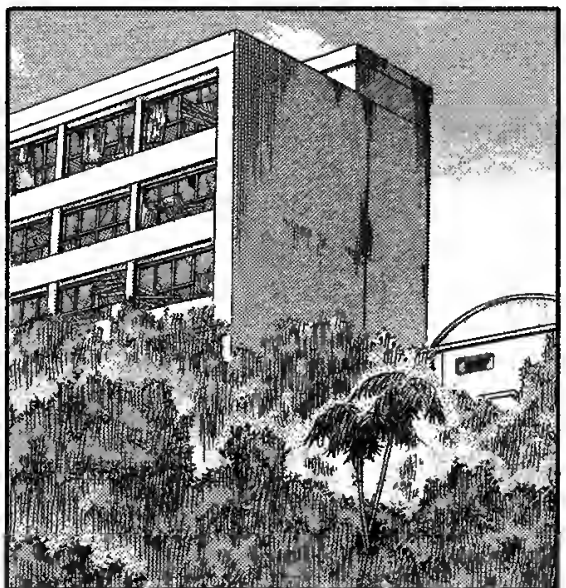

Minoru-

Hey-
Ryou!

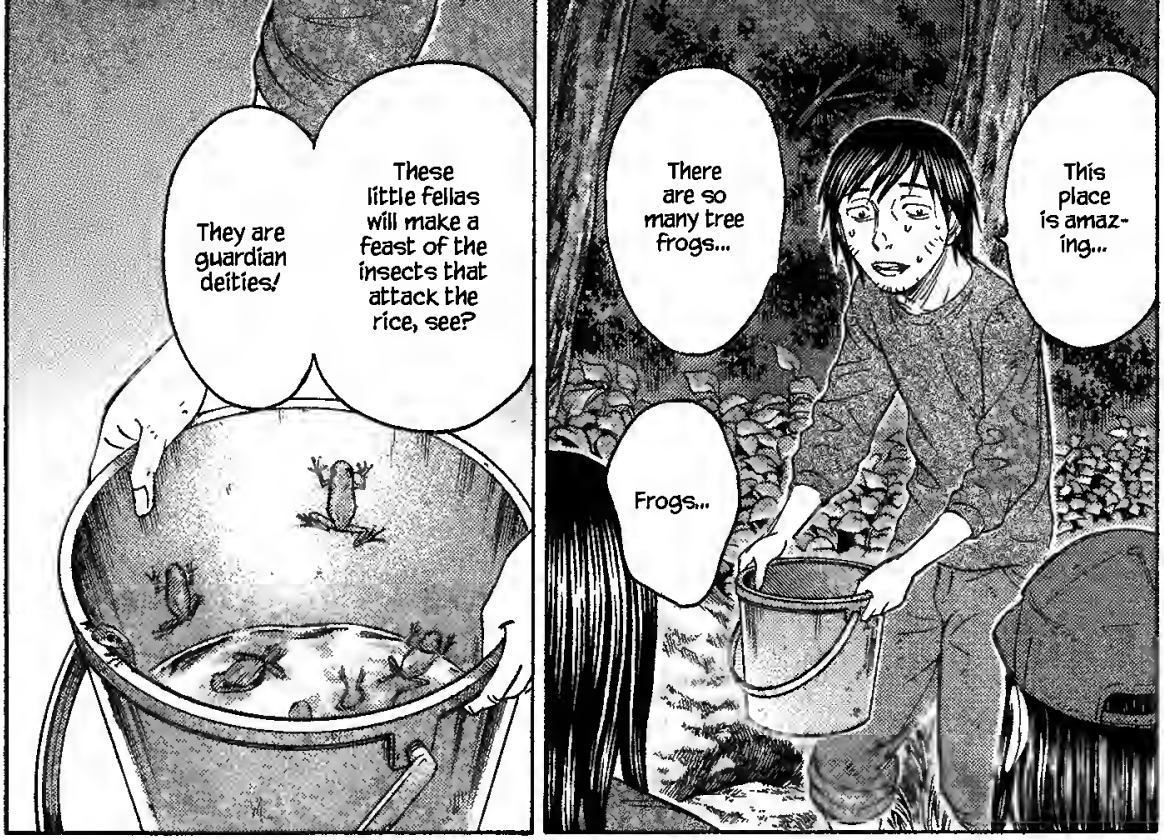
Damn! Has he gone to the rice field again...
Minoru is no longer in bed...

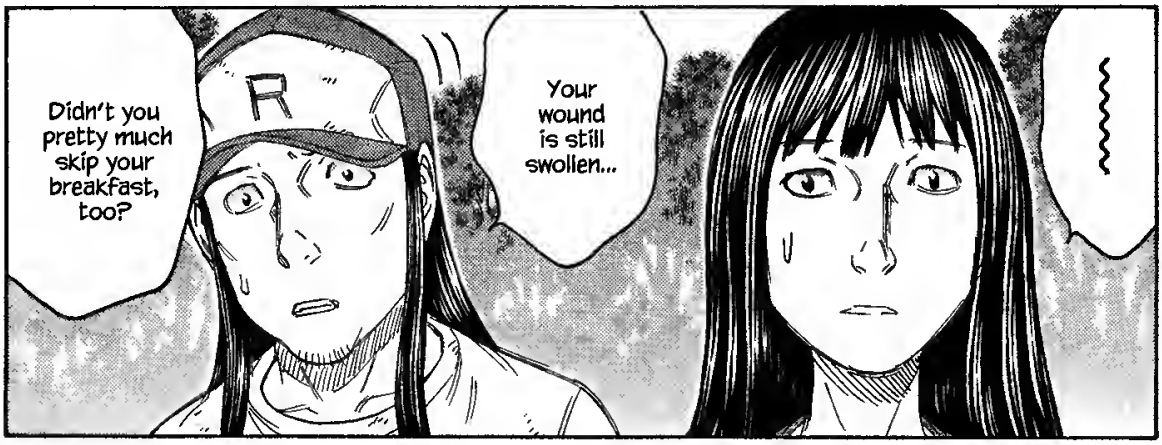
SFX: sound of water



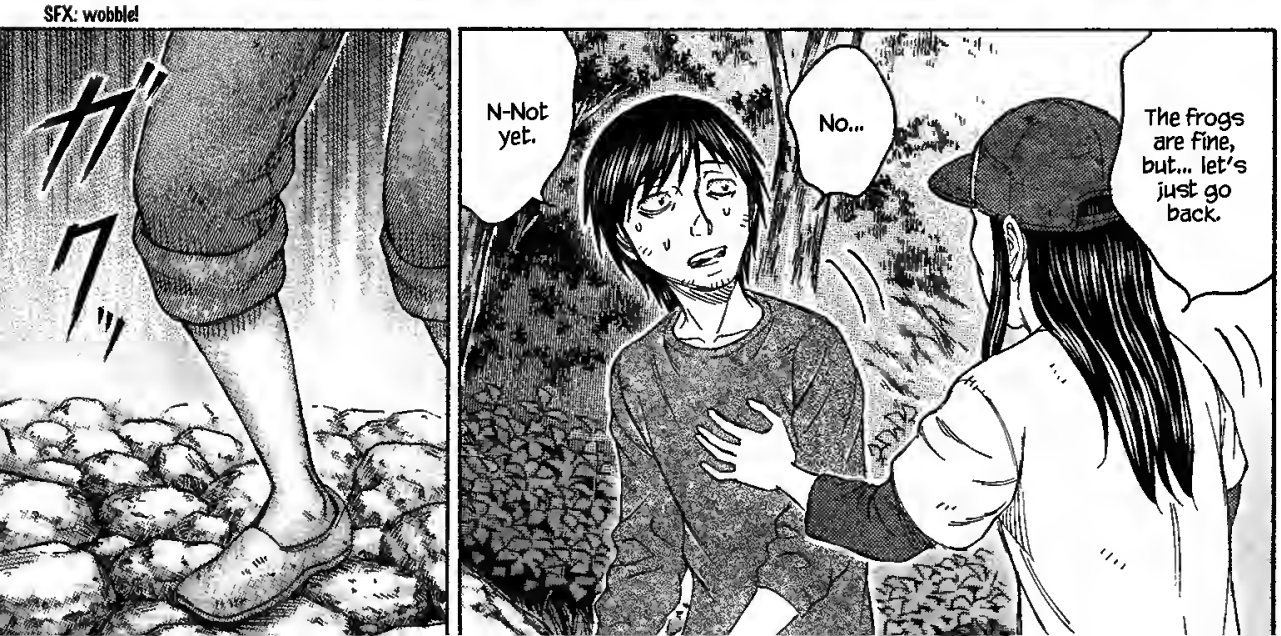
Haa
Haa
SFX: slosh slosh
!
Minoru!!
Pant!
Pant!
Cap... Tae,
Hey, it will be bad if you don't rest!
What are you doing in a place like this!?


This place is amazing...
There are so many tree frogs...
Frogs...
These little fellas will make a feast of the insects that attack the rice, see?
They are guardian deities!



Your wound is still swollen...
Didn't you pretty much skip your breakfast, too?

SFX: wobble!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The frogs are fine, but... let's just go back.
No...
N-Not yet.

And isn't your fever going up again!?
I-I'm fine... so...
MINORU!
I have to go to the rice field... I'm not... done yet...
Ta... e.
BE RESPON-SIBLE!!!
Why are you doing this!?
You will never recover like this!

Tae-chan...
Minoru, do you...
Still want to die?
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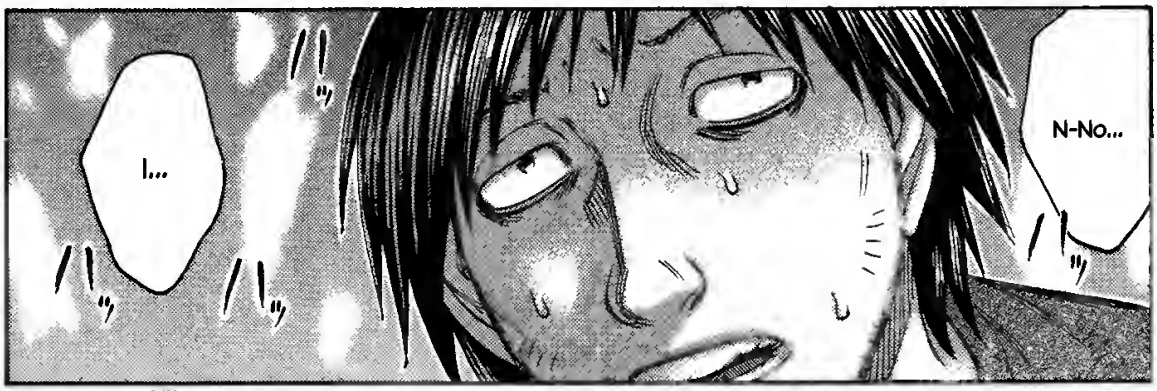
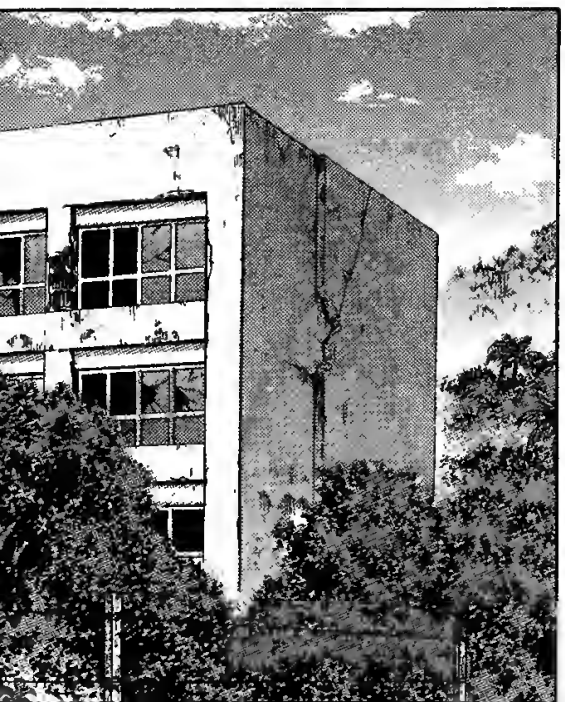
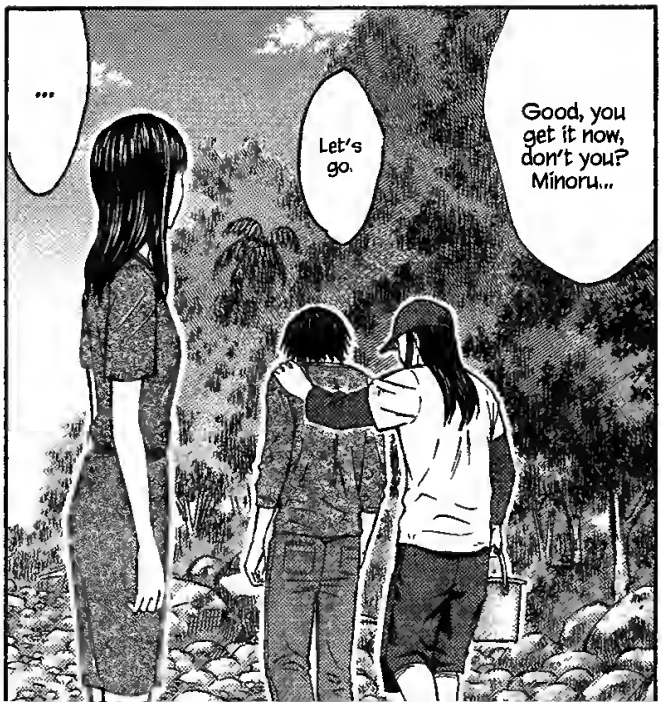

N-No...
I...

SFX: panting




Good, you get it now, don't you? Minoru...
Let's go.
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Honestly, what is Minoru's condition? Is he healed?
Not completely yet... the superficial wound has closed but he still has a fever...
That... perplexed me.

I don't know how his body is inside... and his colour isn't good.
He still might be fairly sick...

H-Hey!
!
Minoru!!

Your face says the opposite, you know? Just get some rest!
I-I'm fine.
Why did you stand up again!?
You can't!!!

The ears haven't even sprouted yet, right? ...everything will be fine!
I...

I can't...
Now, what you have to do is rest!
Just leave the rice field to us... okay!?

Not...! Not yet!
M-Minoru...?
Pant!
Pant!

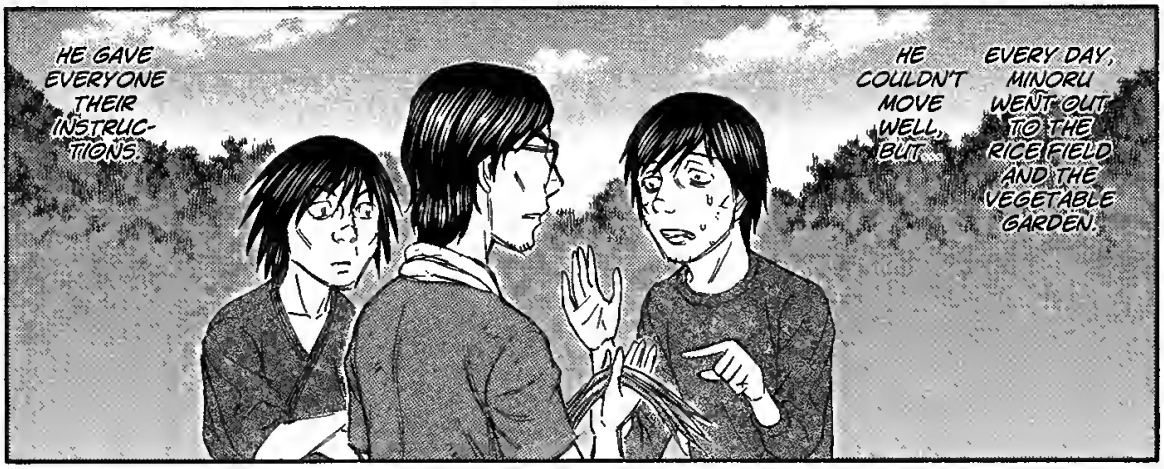
I CAN'T!!!

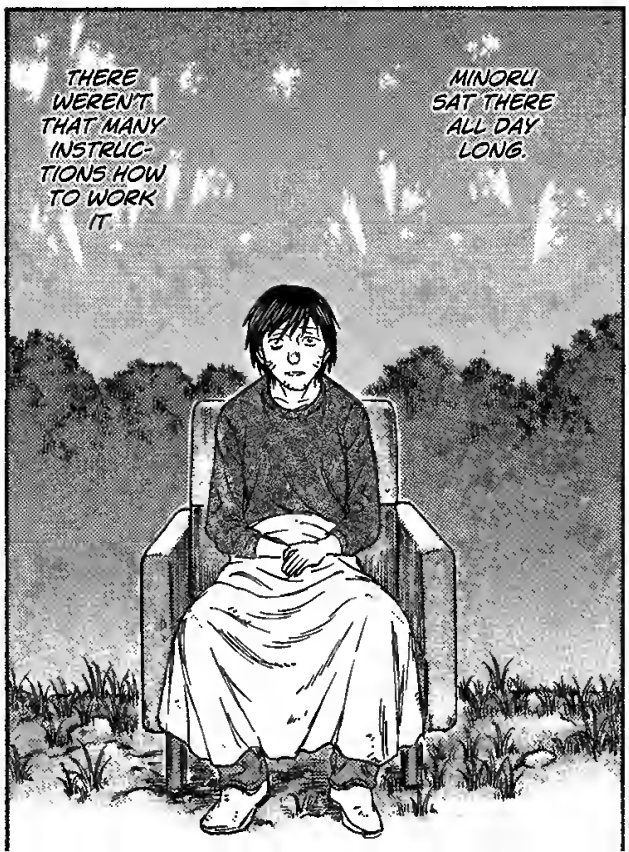
Minoru!?
N-Now... ugh-
Blargh!
This time... is when the crops are most vulnerable to insects...! If... If we don't eliminate them completely!!
Not yet, it goes on from here...!
H-Hey...

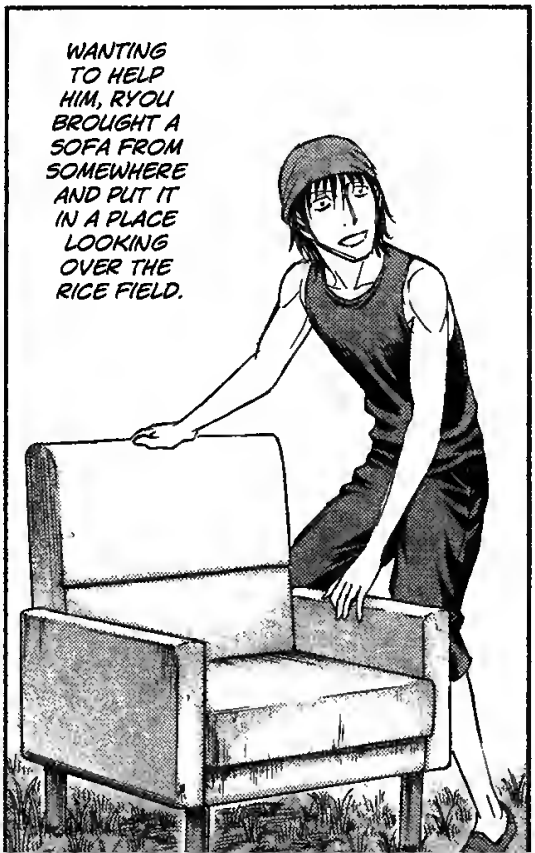
Hey... I knew it...
I'm going...
Minoru...!
Bleeaa argh!

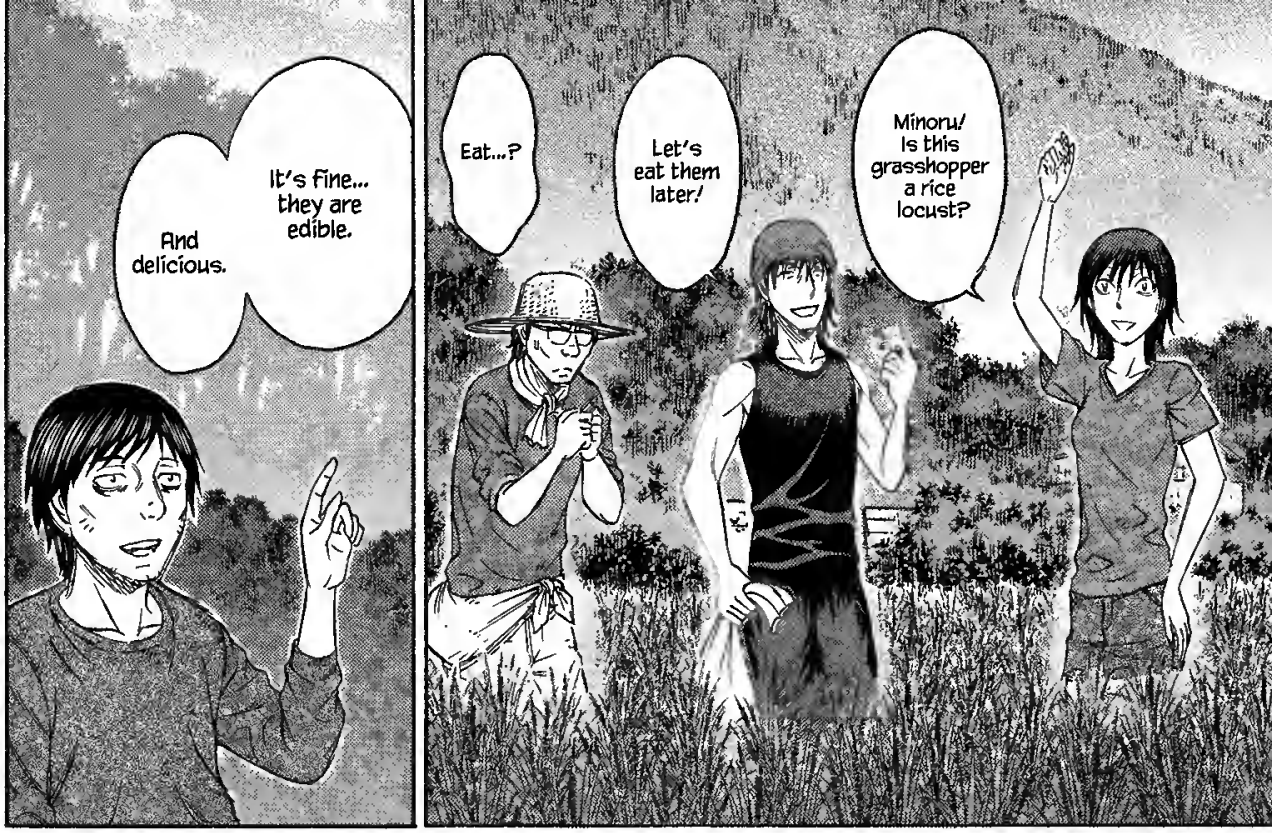
I'm going no matter what...!!
Pant!
Pant!
Please let me go... even if you try to stop me...
Pant!

NOBODY WAS ABLE TO STOP MINORU.
Mino...ru.


HE GAVE EVERYONE THEIR INSTRUC-TIONS.
HE COULDN'T MOVE WELL, BUT...
EVERY DAY, MINORU WENT OUT TO THE RICE FIELD AND THE VEGETABLE GARDEN.


THERE WEREN'T THAT MANY INSTRUC-TIONS HOW TO WORK IT.
MINORU SAT THERE ALL DAY LONG.


WANTING TO HELP HIM, RYOU BROUGHT A SOFA FROM SOMEWHERE AND PUT IT IN A PLACE LOOKING OVER THE RICE FIELD.


Minoru! Is this grasshopper a rice locust?
Let's eat them later!
Eat...?
It's fine... they are edible.
And delicious.

MINORU'S FEVER DIDN'T GO DOWN, HE COULD HARDLY EAT ANYTHING, AND HE GOT WEAKER BY THE DAY.
BUT NOBODY KNEW WHAT TO DO ABOUT IT.

...Uh...
WIPE THOSE TEARS, IDIOT!
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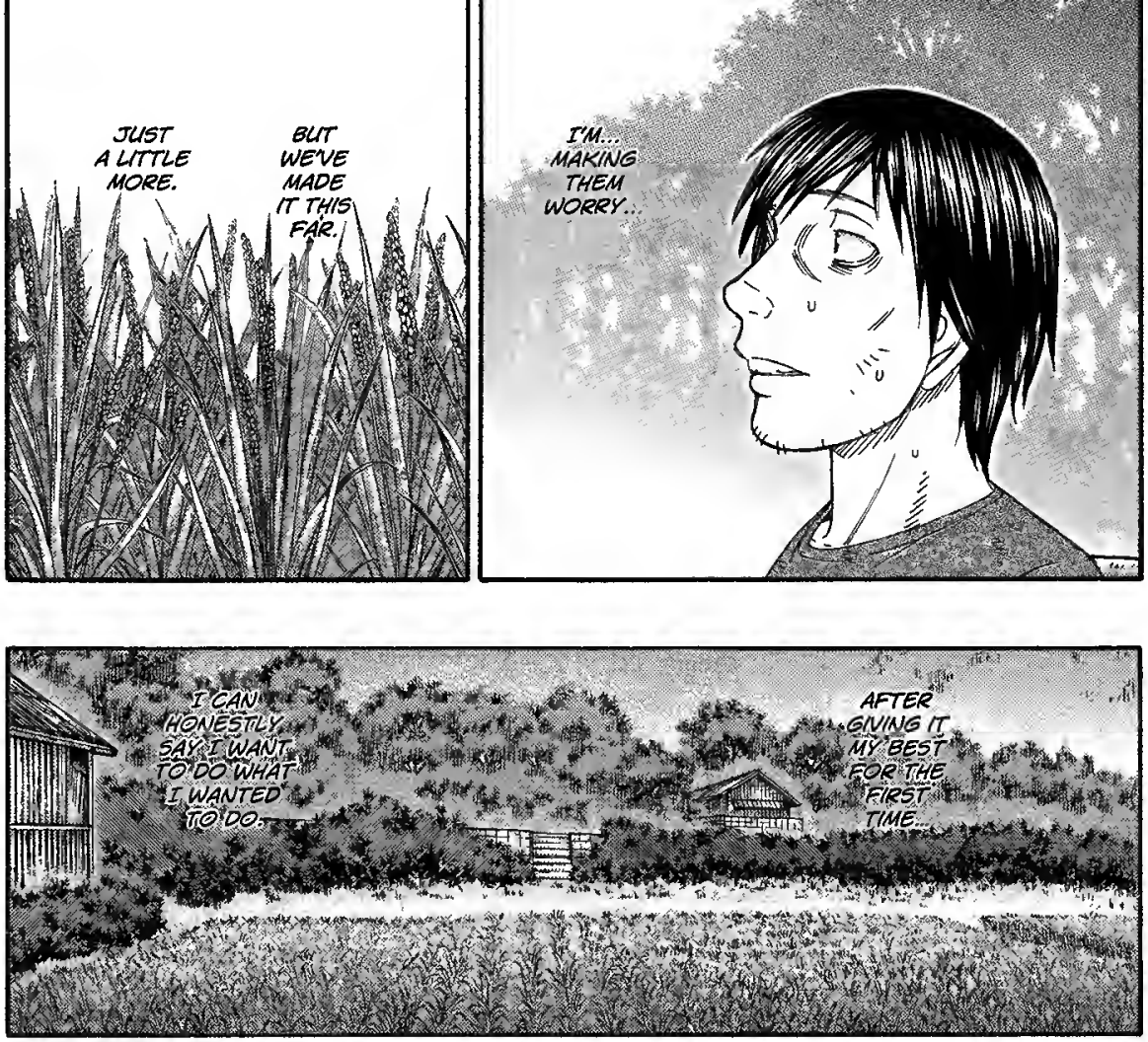

JUST A LITTLE MORE.
BUT WE'VE MADE IT THIS FAR.
I'M... MAKING THEM WORRY...
I CAN HONESTLY SAY I WANT TO DO WHAT I WANTED TO DO.
AFTER GIVING IT MY BEST FOR THE FIRST TIME...
THANKS TO EVERYONE.
REALLY, IT WAS
ALL OF THEM.
IS WONDERFUL,
EVERYONE WHO IS HERE
STRANGELY ENOUGH

AND HEARD THINGS I DIDN'T WANT TO HEAR.
UNTIL NOW, THE TRUTH IS, I SAID THINGS I DIDN'T WANT TO SAY,

FINALLY.
BUT... FINALLY,
I WAS A FOOL...

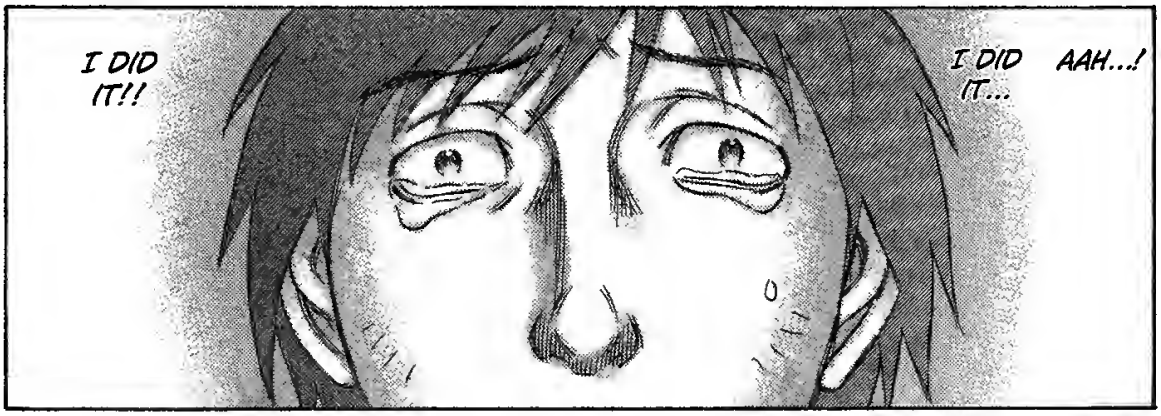
IN THAT CASE, IT'S TIME TO DRAIN THE FIELD.
THE EARS OF RICE HAVE RIPENED AND ARE BENDING UNDER THEIR OWN WEIGHT

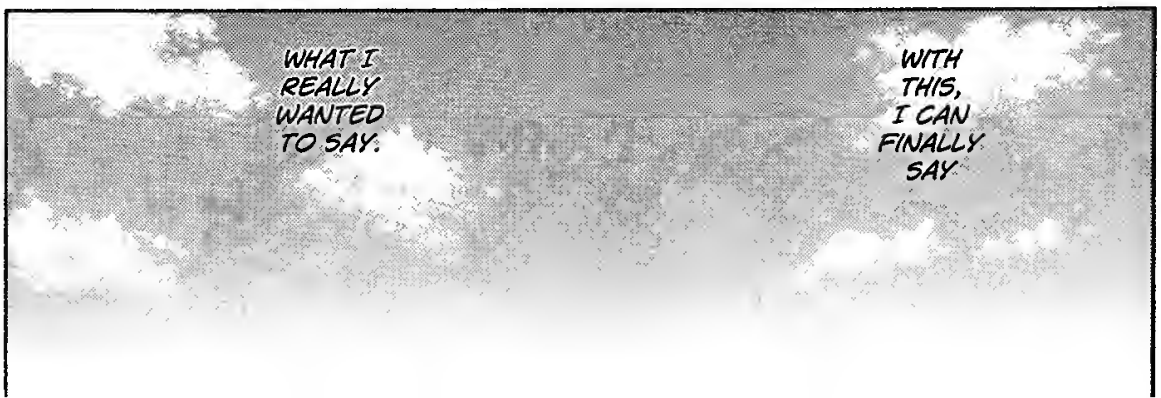
THE SEASON OF GOLD.
THAT WILL BE
AS WE DRAIN THE WATER, THE COLOUR OF THE FIELD WILL CHANGE QUICKLY.

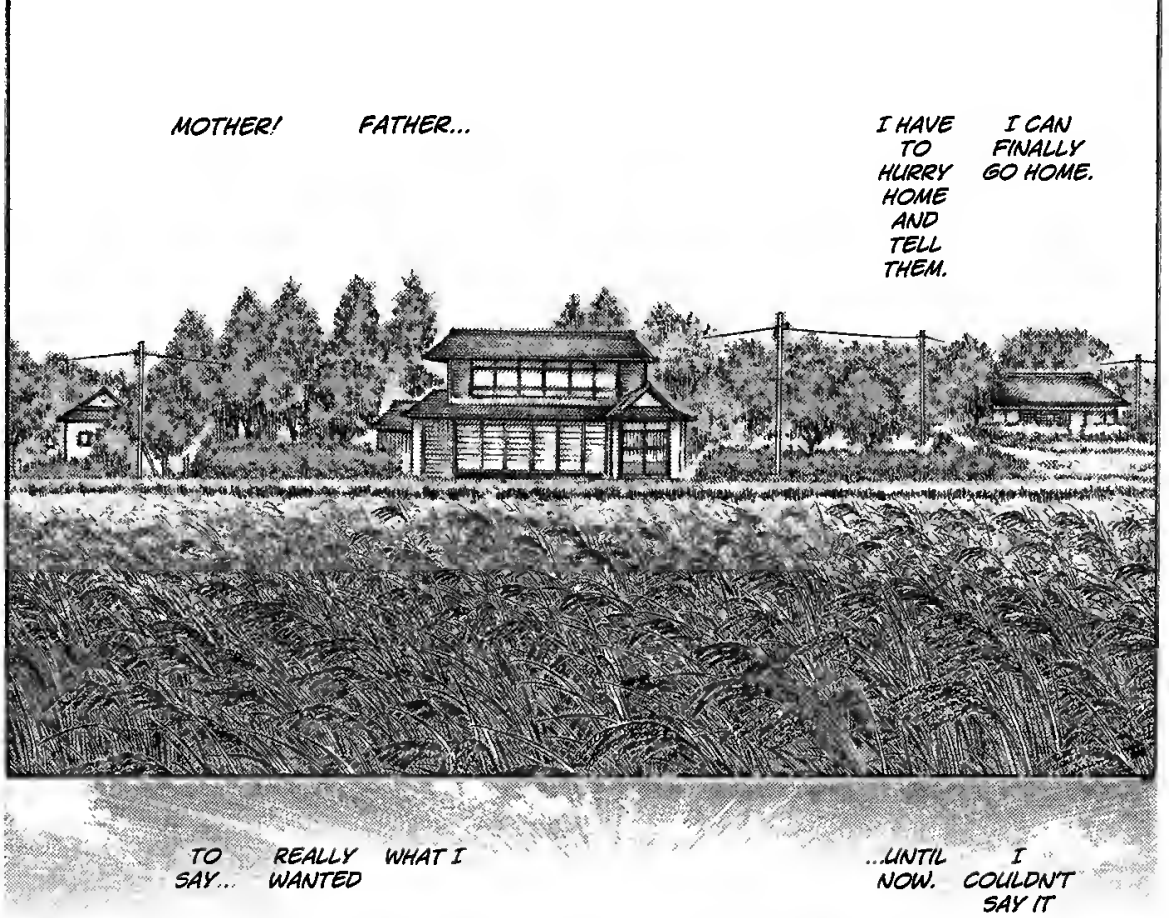
LIKE A WAVE OF GOLD...!!

THE CROP SAYS IT'S TIME FOR THE HARVEST

SEE,




MOTHER!
FATHER...
I HAVE TO HURRY HOME AND TELL THEM.
I CAN FINALLY GO HOME.
TO SAY...
REALLY WANTED
WHAT I
...UNTIL NOW.
I COULDN'T SAY IT

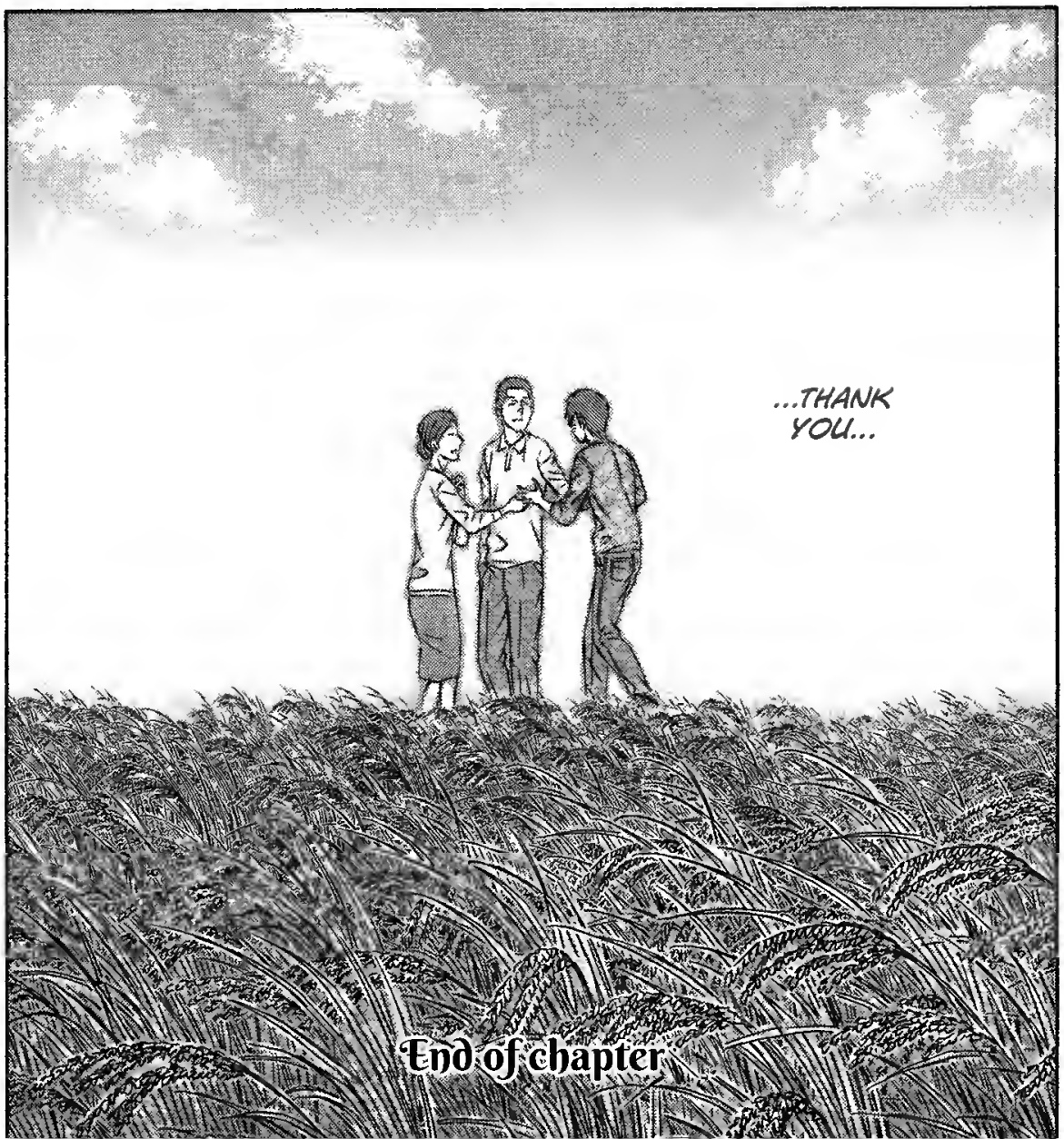
He's passed away...

...Look!
Uuuh!!!
MINORU!!

He must have seen it.
He went to rest with a satisfied face.

...FA...THER!... MOTHER...
The wave of rice ears painted gold...

I HAVE SOMETHING... I WANTED TO SAY.
WHAT HAPPENED?
WHAT IS IT?


...THANK YOU...
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# *Almost good on typesetters, now inviting translators!*

Well, 2017 has definitely been a good year for us so far. Our translators are sticking around, as are most of the redrawers. Now we only need a typesetter for ***Shounen Y*** and we'll be good on editors!

Right now, we do need a translator for a moe series, ***Alice or Alice***.

Last time, I made a list of stuff we definitely wanted to do and ended up picking up most of them. This time, though, I'll make a looser list based on stuff that is stalled or upon which we've stumbled in recent months. If you are a translator and would like to help out, I can only promise to make a bait chapter initially, and use it to fish for editors. That's why this is an invitation, not a recruitment. If you have your own ideas of what you'd like to do, we're open to those, too.

- ***Diamond Cut Diamon***d (shounen, supernatural)
- ***Ragna Crimson*** (shounen, fantasy)
- ***Lucifer's Right Han***d (seinen, medical)
- ***Gleipnir*** (seinen, ecchi, supernatural)
- ***Primeval taiga*** (seinen, Mori Kouji nonsense)
- ***The small plaza*** (we have no idea, but some random person gave us raws; one-volume collection of stories. In Japanese, *Chiisana hiroba*)
- ***Desire Devil*** (first serialisation of Mitabi Irohara, author of the famous one-shot, ***Sex Manga***; no idea what it is about)

The list will be very fluid in future versions of this ad, and may change according to our whim or mood. At least, until we lock on something.

Our translation test: https://i.imgur.com/blqk3D8.png

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